

U. S. PREPARES FOR CHINA TROUBLE

TITLED BRITISHER SHOT BY COUNTESS WHO TRIES SUICIDE

Victim And Assailant,
Former American,
Both Critical

PARIS, March 28.—The condition of Raymond Vincent De Trafford, young son of a titled British family, who was shot and seriously wounded by the Countess De Janze, the former Alice Silverthorne of Chicago, who later tried to kill herself, was very grave at noon today. His condition was even more serious than that of the countess despite the fact that the bullet fired by the latter with suicidal intent pierced the stomach, intestines and kidneys.

Joseph Duvivier, attorney employed in behalf of the countess, revealed that she had filed suit for divorce in the Seine tribunal some time ago. The formalities of "attempted reconciliation," which is a preliminary in French divorce actions, had already been completed.

The countess, who is a cousin of Mrs. J. Ogden Armour, of Chicago, is technically under arrest at La Roquette hospital, although the seriousness of her condition makes it unnecessary for a police guard. If she recovers sufficiently she will be transferred to a prison, charged with the shooting of De Trafford.

"If the countess recovers," said Attorney Duvivier, "she undoubtedly will be tried for assault. If De Trafford should die the charge would be a more serious one."

Rudolph De Trafford, brother of Raymond, arrived from London and hurried to the hospital. The wounded man was so weak that he could only whisper monosyllables in response to his brother's questions.

Jealousy was the motive attributed to the shooting.

The countess was questioned briefly by Special Police Commissioner Cals, but she threw little light upon the affair.

"It is my secret," she gasped in a whisper. "You are asking me something I cannot answer. But it was I who shot my friend. I did it upon an impulse. Then I could think of nothing but suicide. Oh, I deeply regret this."

The young Englishman was on his way to London when the shooting took place in a first class compartment of a train bound for Boulogne. The train had not yet left the Gare Du Nord.

A gendarme, who was attracted by the shots and the excited cries of nearby persons, rushed to the compartment. He found De Trafford lying upon the floor bleeding profusely and the woman huddled nearby. The young man was unconscious, but the countess was conscious for a few moments and managed to gasp out a few words to the policeman before she too lost consciousness.

It is reported that the count threatened to divorce his wife some time ago because of her attachment for De Trafford, whom she had met first in Africa. The countess is said to have deserted her home and two children to be with her lover.

LOS ANGELES READY FOR TEST FLIGHTS

WASHINGTON, March 28.—The navy dirigible Los Angeles has again been inflated at Lakehurst and made ready to undertake a series of test flights, it was announced today.

Naval officers declared the inflation of the giant airship had no possible connection with the Chinese situation, but was merely regular routine.

Withdrawal of marines from Lakehurst for duty in China, however, may delay or halt the training flight tests.

REED COMMITTEE IS DENIED BALLOTS

WASHINGTON, Mar. 28.—Jerry South, special emissary of the senate campaign funds committee, returned empty handed today from Philadelphia where he went to impound ballots in the Vane-Wilson senatorial election last fall.

REPORT DIPLOMATIC PLOT FORD SIDE ASKS MISTRIAL

Nanking Victim



Dr. J. E. Williams, of Shawnee, O., a member of the Northern Presbyterian Mission and vice-president of Nanking University, was killed during the rioting that broke out in Nanking when Cantonese took over the city. His daughter, Anna Faith Williams, of Yonkers, N. Y., was reported safe on an American warship. She was connected with the Y. W. C. A.

TWO CONSULATES IN CHINA CLOSED

PEKING, Mar. 28.—The American state department has authorized the closing of the American consulates at Chungking and Changsha, the United States legation announced today.

Warships will be withdrawn after the American residents of the districts have been given ample opportunity to leave. There are about fifty Americans scattered throughout the province of Szechuan and a few in Honan.

The Americans have been ordered to concentrate at Amoy for evacuation to a place of safety, probably Shanghai. A United States warship has arrived at Swatow and reported by wireless that the situation there is quiet.

TWO KILLED, THIRD HURT, WHEN MACHINE GUN SPITS IN DETROIT

DETROIT, Mar. 28.—Two men were killed and a third was seriously wounded today in Detroit's first machine gun shooting.

Joe Bloom and George Cohen were mowed down with an unaccountable number of bullets. Frank Wright was seriously injured.

The shooting resulted from the kidnapping of "Fish" Bloomfield, employee of "Doc" Brady, operator of a gambling establishment.

In the apartment occupied by the operators of the machine gun, police found a circular bearing the picture of Salvatore Miragliotta, alias Sam Miller, said to be wanted for the slaying of Patrol-

MARINES ARE OFF

NEW YORK, Mar. 28.—Smiling farewell to a huge crowd, 197 United States marines left the Brooklyn navy yard today bound for the war-zone in China. They were trained for Philadelphia. From where they will go to the coast. The "leathernecks" were fully equipped for action.

DEFENSE ACTION IN SAPIRO SUIT BASED ON CHANGED PAPERS

Declare Amended Petition Not Fair To Henry Ford

FEDERAL BUILDING, Detroit, March 28.—After formally objecting to any change in Aaron Sapiro's declaration of libel, counsel for Henry Ford today moved for a mistrial in the \$1,000,000 Ford-Sapiro libel suit.

The court took under consideration both Sapiro's plea and the defense motion for a mistrial. He said he would announce a decision later in the day.

Stewart Hanley, of Ford's counsel, first filed the objection before Judge Fred M. Raymond in federal court here and then asked that a mistrial be declared and the jury dismissed if the court accepted Sapiro's amended complaint. Judge Raymond tentatively accepted the amended declaration last week.

Hanley declared the Sapiro move, eliminating fifty-four of his allegations of libel, had changed the whole case of action. The changes, if allowed, said Hanley, will seriously jeopardize the rights of Henry Ford.

Hanley made a long argument, urging the court to reject all changes in the declaration.

"We wish to object to the acceptance of the amendment to the declaration of libel," said Hanley, "we oppose both the portion amending the cause of action and the second section relating to the limitation of fifty or more of the alleged libels."

Hanley said that nothing had occurred during the trial to justify the changes proposed by Sapiro.

"We now ask, that if the amendment is allowed," Hanley added, "that the jury be dismissed and this trial declared a mistrial. This amendment changes the whole cause of action and we have a right to a new trial."

William Henry Gallagher declared the amendment was strictly within the usual rules of court procedure.

"Amendments to a declaration of libel can be allowed," he added, "if they do not change the form of action nor introduce any new subjects. Our amendment does neither, as it is in order."

While an effort may be made to get this subject before the public policy hearings to be launched tomorrow, it was understood that the question likely will be postponed until the commission begins consideration of licenses for individual stations.

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WOUNDED IN CHINA; NIECE OF XENIAN



Miss Anna E. Moffett, Sheridan, Ill., niece of Miss Jennie Moffett, public health nurse of the Social Service League, was injured in the attack on foreigners that marked the capture of Nanking by Cantonese. She was shot twice in the body. Threats to renew bombardment of the city caused the Chinese to escort her and other Americans to the waterfront, where they were cared for by foreign warships. Miss Anna Moffett is a daughter of William Moffett, brother of Miss Jennie Moffett, who is in the regular U. S. Army. She has been treasurer of funds in a Nanking hospital and was shot when she refused to turn over the money to the attackers.

RADIO COMMISSION ASKED TO REFUSE LICENSES TO STATIONS

Propaganda Stirring Religious And Social Hatred Under Fire—Engineers Will Advise Commissioners About Wave Bands

WASHINGTON, Mar. 28.—Charges that some broadcasting stations are being used to disseminate propaganda tending to stir up religious and racial hatred probably will be aired before the Federal Radio Commission, it was learned today.

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AUTHORITIES VIGILANT TO PREVENT CORSET SALESMAN FROM TRYING SUICIDE IN JAIL

NEW YORK, March 28.—Officials of the Queens County Jail today redoubled their vigilance to prevent Henry Judd Gray, middle-aged corset salesman and lover of Mrs. Ruth Snyder, from taking his own life. Gray is in a desperate state of mind and threats muttered while he restlessly paced his cell led authorities to fear that he might try to commit suicide if an opportunity offered.

Mrs. Snyder who is jointly under murder indictment with Gray for the murder of her husband, Albert Snyder, art editor of "Motor Boating," is in a more cheerful frame of mind. Her sole deter-

FORGED NOTES SAID TO HAVE INFLAMED MEXICAN FEELING

Kellogg Refuses To Discuss Nature Of Documents

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Silence was maintained by the state department today concerning reports that a cleverly executed plot to embroil the United States and Mexico through the use of forged international documents had been discovered and frustrated.

Secretary of State Kellogg declined to either confirm or deny that the existence of these forged documents had been established.

"I have nothing whatever to say about it," he said.

The latest American note to Mexico, the so-called "mystery note" is reported to have dealt with this alleged plot. According to rumors which have filtered through the capital, while the relations between Mexico City and Washington were most strained, an apparently authentic American note found its way through regular channels into the hands of the Mexican foreign office. It was of a nature calculated to inflame already intense Mexican feeling. Simultaneously there appeared in Washington a Mexican note of similar import.

Speedy investigation was undertaken by both governments, according to reports, and the misunderstandings were cleared up.

According to some officials, the rumors of the plot have greatly exaggerated the matter. The real knowledge of the ramifications of the plot, however, is confined to Secretary Kellogg and a few associates. They decline to throw any light on it, or to reveal the identity of the perpetrators, if known.

THREE WHO ESCAPED PENITENTIARY ARE STILL AT LIBERTY

Tuberculosis Patient Not Break Enclosure Of Hospital

COLUMBUS, O., March 28.—Three men who escaped from the Ohio Penitentiary here early Sunday were still at liberty today, and a statewide search for the fugitives is under way.

The men, Warden P. E. Thomas told police, were patients in the tuberculosis ward. Between 3 and 4 a. m. they picked through a screen enclosure and crept across the prison yard to two railroad gates which they forced open. Trace of the men was lost at this point though it is supposed the fugitives boarded passing freight trains.

The men are: Monte DeLaughter, 35, Findlay, serving fifteen to thirty years for burglary, received March 17, 1926; Everett Shoemaker, 25, Gallipolis, serving fifteen to twenty years for shooting with intent to kill, received Jan. 18, 1926; and James Scott, 23, Newark, serving eight to twenty years for shooting with attempt to kill, received March 9, 1925.

Two guards on duty at the hospital at the time of the delivery are under suspension pending an investigation.

SIXTY MINERS DEAD; FIFTY ENTOMBED

TOKIO, Mar. 28.—Volunteers were working desperately today to rescue fifty miners who were entombed by an explosion which killed sixty men in the Iwaki coal mine in Fukushima Prefecture.



Here's Major H. O. D. Segrave's latest picture taken just before the start of the trials at Daytona, Fla., when the Britisher set an unofficial record of 166 miles an hour in his Mystery-S racing car.

WASHINGTON FEARS WORST FROM REPORT ON CHINESE DEMAND

Anti-Foreign Feeling Increasing—Demand Removal Of Barricades From Foreign Colony—Refugees Tell Stories

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Hoping for the best and fearing the worst, official Washington continued preparations today to meet any exigencies in China.

Overnight reports from Admiral C. S. Williams, commanding the Asiatic fleet from Shanghai, emphasized the tenacity of the situation throughout the Yangtze river district, where agitators are whipping up anti-foreign sentiment among the masses.

The demands made by the Chinese at Shanghai for the removal of the protecting barricades around the international settlement were regarded in Washington with grave concern. In some quarters, the opinion was expressed that these demands, promptly denied by the American and allied commanders, were but the forerunner of organized attacks on the settlement.

Should these attacks materialize there will be widespread bloodshed and chaos in Shanghai. That much is considered certain.

"Both the international settlement and the French concession are making preparations to prevent any outbreak on the part of a mob and likewise to meet any such mob attack along the boundary," Admiral Williams advised the navy department.

Foreign guards about the settlement are being augmented, Williams reported. An additional force of bluejackets has been sent ashore from Admiral Williams' flagship, the U. S. S. Pittsburgh.

Conditions in Shanghai were quiet today, according to a report from Admiral Williams, timed at 4:05 p. m. (Shanghai time) today.

"Conditions quiet," his message stated. "There was a large demonstration at the west gate of the native city Sunday. Demands made for return of the concessions and international settlement, but no action."

"Landing forces from U. S. S. Pittsburgh have returned to the ship."

Abandoning millions of dollars worth of property, much of which has been the work of a lifetime, Americans and other foreigners are rapidly evacuating the nationalist controlled Yangtze valley of China.

The great wave of anti-foreign sentiment continues to sweep through China, with Shanghai regarded as the sole safe refuge for foreigners.

The nationalists are pressing demands that the international settlement in Shanghai be turned over to them, a mass meeting of thousands having voiced this demand. The foreigners in Shanghai are apprehensive but it is believed the forces there are sufficient to protect them. At present quiet exists in Shanghai.

Refugees in Shanghai tell of horrible indignities suffered, and are arriving battered and suffering from exposure, many of them improperly clad and without proper food.

SAY CITY ORDERLY

The British foreign office states that order has been established in the Chinese city of Shanghai and no immediate attack from the nationalists is feared.

Sir Austen Chamberlain is reported to have sent a stiff note to the nationalists refusing to treat with them further until foreign lives and property are protected.

The communist internationalists have issued an appeal to those "under the yoke" of America and Great Britain throughout the world to rise and demand a reckoning for the Nanking incidents.

Wild reports that thousands of Chinese were killed in Nanking are being used to stir up the anti-foreign sentiment.

GOVERNOR SIGNS THREE MORE BILLS

COLUMBUS, O., March 28.—Receiving the approving signature of Governor Vic Donahey today, three more bills, passed at the present session of the Ohio legislature, will become laws ninety days after being filed with the secretary of state.

The measures signed today by the governor are: By Representative Harry Ball, Scioto County, extending the jurisdiction of the state forester, providing for appointment of state forestry fire wardens, and revising restrictions on handling fires; by Rep. Perry Green, Portage, providing for establishment of a demonstration forest, under direction of the state division of forestry; and by Rep. L. J. Abele, Cleveland, authorizing the state insurance superintendent to require foreign insurance brokers to furnish information which the superintendent may deem necessary in order to determine "the trustworthiness, competency and suitability of the applicant to act as an insurance broker," in Ohio.

THREE KILLED

CHESHIRE, Conn., March 28.—A drowsy driver is believed to have been responsible for an automobile tragedy that wiped out three lives on the New Haven-Cheshire highway near here today. The dead are Jas. J. Welch and James H. Rilly, and Edward Sheehy. An automobile containing the men sideswiped a telephone pole.



Not All Building Is Done With Stone And Lumber

GOOD WILL toward your neighbor,
LOYALTY to your home and country,
WHOLE-HEARTED CO-OPERATION with those who
help you, and
DETERMINATION to attain greater comforts and
education.

Those are the materials of which GREAT COMMUNITIES ARE BUILT.

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The Stout Coal Co.

Frazer Shoe Store

Xenia Mercantile Company

Galloway & Cherry

Adair's Furniture Store

J. C. Penney Co.

The Criterion

Kennedy Shoe Store

T. C. Long Real Estate

Famous Cheap Store

The Ray Cox Insurance Agency

L. S. Hyman Clothing Store

Stiles Coal Company

D. D. Jones Drug Store

The Bocklett-King Company

Society-Personal-Clubs

THE NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them learn of your visits through this page whenever you go away. The Gazette and the Republican consider it a courtesy whenever you turn in an item of any kind. PHONE 70.

McCALL-PAYNE NUPTIALS AT REYNOLDSBURG, SATURDAY

In the presence of the two immediate families, Miss Helen G. McCall, Columbus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCall, and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Payne, of Reynoldsburg, Ohio, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. Vernon McCall, Reynoldsburg, O., Saturday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

Miss McCall descended the stairway at the appointed hour and was met at the foot of the stairs by the bridegroom. The Rev. George Barber, pastor of Glenwood M. E. Church, Columbus, performed the nuptial ceremony. The bride was attractively attired in a lavender blue crepe de chine gown, made along straight lines, with a corsage of pink sweet peas.

The McCall home was decorated in pink and white. A refreshment course was served after the ceremony, with a bride's table prettily appointed. Two pink and white wedding cakes held prominent places.

Mrs. Payne wore a frock of midnight blue pique fashioned jacket effect, for the trip to Columbus. Mr. and Mrs. Payne spent Sunday in Xenia with the bride's parents. They will reside in Columbus, with Mr. Payne's parents for the present until their home in that city is ready for their occupancy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCall and Miss Bessie McCall of Xenia, attended the wedding.

SOCIETY ENTERTAINED WITH DINNER AND SEWING

Mrs. Elton Haines proved herself a charming and gracious hostess Thursday, when she entertained fifteen women for dinner. Her guests were members of the Sun-shine Circle, her neighbors at her former home and also honoring her sister-in-law, Mrs. Irvin Harner, who celebrated her birthday.

A large cake held a place of honor for Mrs. Harner, lighted with tapers. A pink and white color scheme was employed in the dinner.

The afternoon was spent in making "sunshine bags" for ex-soldiers at the National Military Home. Music was enjoyed. Those present were: Mrs. John Harner, Mrs. William McCall, Mrs. Irvin Harner, Mrs. Walter Hess, Mrs. Lewis Crumley, Mrs. Otis Clemmer, Mrs. Maude Coblenz, Mrs. Ralph Haines, Mrs. L. H. Hartsook, Miss Myrtle Barnett, Miss Margaret Coblenz, Miss Ada-Hoppling, Miss Ethel Wolf, and Mrs. William Marshall, of Cedarville.

BIRTHDAY OCCASION FOR DINNER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. John Pramer, Fairfield Pike, entertained with a birthday dinner Sunday, for the pleasure of Mrs. Pramer's sister, Mrs. Ida Mendenhall, Springfield, Va., in honor of her seventy-first birthday. Those present were Mrs. Ida Mendenhall, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Solars, and daughter, Dorothy; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Spahr and family, Springfield Valley; Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Campbell and son, Kenneth, Yellow Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Otis Pramer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pramer and family, Mrs. Lucy Keiter and two daughters, Thelma and Louise and Mr. and Mrs. John Pramer.

FORMER XENIA PASTOR HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Dr. G. A. Scott, Greenville, O., former pastor of First M. E. Church, this city, with Mrs. Scott, was honored with a dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Tonkinson, of the Springfield Pike, Monday. The affair was in celebration of Dr. Scott's birth anniversary. Covers were laid for Dr. and Mrs. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Emery Beal, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Clouse, Mrs. C. R. Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ledbetter and the host and hostess. Dr. Scott has just closed a successful two weeks' meeting at the Methodist Episcopal Church at Greenville, where he is pastor. He was assisted by Mr. Balmont, evangelistic singer.

EASTER CANTATA AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The choir of the Presbyterian Church, Market and King Sts., is preparing an Easter cantata to be given Easter Sunday evening. It is entitled, "The Resurrection Story." There are twenty-one voices in the chorus. Solos, duets, trios, quartets, and ensembles make this cantata very entertaining and pleasing, according to those in charge.

Mr. John W. Prugh is chairman of the music committee, Mrs. H. C. Armstrong is director of the choir and Roy Selfert is organist.

Miss Dena Mills, Chicago, spent the week end with Mrs. Foster Jenks, near Jeffersonville, O.

Mrs. Orange Beatty, Dayton, formerly Miss Elizabeth Hall of this city, was stricken with paralysis, several days ago. The stroke affected her right side and physicians have only faint hope for her recovery.

Miss Rosella Harner, N. Galloway St., has been ill for the past two weeks suffering from intestinal grip.

Mrs. John M. Davidson will entertain the Travel Club, at her home on E. Second St., Monday evening.

Mrs. Fred E. Anderson, will be hostess to Xenia Delphin Chapter, at her new home on N. King St., Tuesday evening.

Miss Dena Mills, Chicago, Miss Bessie Mills, Mr. Earl Creekbaum and Mr. Jack Barker, all of Dayton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mills, near Cedarville. Miss Dena Mills is spending a few days with friends in Dayton.

Mrs. Walter Dean, W. Market St., left Monday for Columbus to attend the state mid-year executive meeting of the W. C. T. U. The meeting will be in session three days.

Mr. William Kelbie, E. Main St., tailor, has been severely ill the past week, with a complication of ailments. Mr. Kelbie suffered a recurrence of a previous trouble and underwent an operation, performed by a Dayton specialist, several days ago. He is now at his home on W. Second St., and is resting easier.

Miss Dorothy Zell has resigned her position as secretary-treasurer of The Loyd Contracting Co. The Loyd Company has moved its Xenia offices to Painesville, O. Miss Zell's resignation takes effect next Wednesday. The company's local offices have been temporarily in the Allen Building here, for several months.

Mrs. Everest Webb, London, O., has returned home after spending the latter part of last week with her mother, Mrs. L. M. Garfield.

Guests entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sutton and son, Mr. Bernard Sutton, N. King St., Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Harper Hartsook, Wilmington Pike; the Misses Mary Alexander and Norma Klee and Mr. Ernest Dunavant, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Adams, E. Second St., entertained as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. William Adams and children, Robert and Helen, east of Bowersville; Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Cline and children, Geneva and Virgil, Bowersville; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Adams and daughter, Madeline, Jamestown.

Mrs. A. L. Hendricks, Belmont, spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Emma Ellis, W. Market St.

Mrs. Mary C. Brown, W. Market St., has been receiving a visit from Mrs. Crawford, her niece from Columbus.

Attorney M. A. Broadstone, who has been spending the winter in the south, returned home Saturday. He moved from Cincinnati with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Dillencourt, of that city. He spent six weeks touring Florida and also visited Cuba.

Miss Jean B. Elwell and Miss Maud Elbricht who have been spending the winter in a cottage on the coast of Tampa, Fla., are expected to arrive at their home on E. Church St., in a few days. They are now in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Franklin, East Cleveland, O., are visiting Mrs. Franklin's parents, Prof. and Mrs. D. H. Barnes, High St.

Mrs. J. T. Charters, E. Second St., will be hostess to the Current Events Club, Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. John W. Prugh will have the paper of the afternoon.

Word has been received here of the death of Mr. Herbert Loughridge, at his home in Louisville, Ky., Saturday, following an extended illness. Mr. Loughridge was an uncle of Mrs. C. E. Arbogast, N. King St. Both he and Mrs. Loughridge have visited in this city and are well known here.

Mr. A. D. Chamberlain, Fosteria, O., has taken a position at Jobe Brothers Department Store. He will take up his work next Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherill Hatfield, 135 Center St., are announcing the arrival of a nine-pound daughter, Monday morning.



Fred Almy, millionaire Arizona cowpuncher, paid a fine of \$635.80 to the Customs Department after a case of liquor bearing his name was found on the liner Leviathan, but not with the grace that marks the usual offender against dry statutes. "It wasn't mine," he said. "Besides, liquor is sold openly on the ship. Ask the stewards."

Not a Chinese?



Feng Yu-Hsiang, famed as China's "Christian general," is in reality a Hungarian adventurer who served for a time in the U. S. army before going to China, it is declared by one Judge Fengy of Kassa, Czechoslovakia. The judge claims to be "Feng's" brother.

Mrs. Ida Musgrove and daughter, Ruth, Kenton, O., and Mr. Coleman Woodward, Stony Creek, N. Y., were week-end guests of Mr. B. H. Slagle, Mrs. Musgrove and Mr. Slagle are sister and brother.

Fire Chief William Hanifan is off duty, following an attack of acute appendicitis, Saturday night. He is now able to be about his home but unable to work.

Among relatives attending the funeral of Mrs. James Rowan Monday morning were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fox, Cincinnati; Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Heaton, Columbus; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hustmyer, Mariemont, Cincinnati; Mrs. Catherine Heaton, Columbus; Mr. and Mrs. Fitzsimmons and daughter, Columbus; and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Althoff and son, Chillicothe.

Miss Mary Bess McKinney, Dayton, was the week-end guest of Miss Helen Sayre, of the University of Cincinnati who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Sayre, N. King St.

Mrs. Ella Nisonger, N. Galloway St., entertained a small company Sunday, for dinner, in celebration of her birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Drake and family, Mrs. Lida Drake and Mrs. Fannie K. Patterson were her guests. Mrs. Nisonger, who has been severely ill for several weeks, is convalescent.

Mrs. Simon Slate, W. Main St., who has been seriously ill with pneumonia and paralysis, is thought to be slightly improved.

Mrs. George Galloway, N. Detroit St., has been confined to her bed the past month with an acute attack of rheumatism.

MAYOR'S COURT

DRUNK FINED

Ennis Ewing, colored, was fined \$10 and costs on a charge of intoxication by Mayor John W. Prugh Monday morning. He pleaded guilty. Ewing was arrested Saturday night by Patrolman George Robinson.

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EAST END NEWS

Mrs. William Robinson, 1113 E. Main St., who was operated upon last Thursday above the knee is getting along nicely.

THOMAS M. DOWNEY SUCCUMBS MONDAY

Thomas Moore Downey, 84, Yellow Springs, for forty years a resident of Greene County, died at Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, Monday morning at 3:45 o'clock. He had been ill three months, his condition being caused by a complication of diseases and advanced age.

Mr. Downey, before his retirement was a carpenter and farmer, owning a tract of land near Yellow Springs, but residing in the village. He was born in Montpelier, Ind., a descendant of a line of Presbyterian ministers on his mother's side and Revolutionary War generals on the paternal side. The family moved to Yellow Springs forty years ago.

Mr. Downey was a member of

the Masonic Lodge and the Presbyterian Church. He leaves one son, Gates Downey, who made his home with his father. Mr. Downey was the last member of his immediate family.

Funeral services will be held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, at the residence with interment in Glen Forest Cemetery.

MATERIALS TO MAKE GREAT COMMUNITY TOLD BY MERCHANTS

It takes so much cement, so many bricks, so much lumber and other materials, and the concentrated effort of so much labor to construct a building that will stand through the years. While those are not the same materials of which great communities are built—the concentration of elements and effort is the same.

Four essential elements enter into the making of a greater, more prosperous and progressive Xenia. What those four are we don't propose to tell you here because—well, we couldn't name and explain them

for you half so well as our business and professional interests have enumerated them in the sixth of their educational broadsides to be found on page 2 of this issue.

This, we do, know, however, that the interests sponsoring this campaign are out to make you and your neighbor more contented as Xenia residents. They want you to know that they take more than a business interest in you and our great town and that they're unceasingly working and determined to make you feel proud you're one of us.

Turn now to page 2. Read their message. And, co-operate with Xenia's merchants by doing what they urge. You'll be paid back tenfold in Contentment, Prosperity and Happiness.

CONSTRUCTION IS STARTED ON BLOCK

Work, preliminary to the complete remodeling of the second floor of the Flynn building, Detroit and Second Sts., and the Flynn building, W. Second St., recently occupied as a warehouse by the H. E. Schmidt Grocery Co., was be-

gun Monday by Jeffries and Fudge local contractors.

In the general scheme of alterations to be made, the two buildings will be joined and the united second floor prepared to house a recreation center to be occupied by the Arcade billiard hall and bowling alleys, owned by A. L. Regan.

Alterations of the W. Second St. building have been started. Mr. Regan plans to install three bowling alleys on the second floor. The limited space now occupied by the billiard hall now provides room for but two alleys.

JACOB POLLARD IS CALLED BY DEATH

Jacob Pollard, 80, passed away at his home, 240 S. West St., Sunday afternoon at 1:25 o'clock. He had been an invalid three years, his condition becoming serious a week ago. Death was the result of a complication of diseases.

Mr. Pollard was born in Adams County, May 7, 1846, and moved to Xenia seven years ago from Portsmouth, O.

He leaves two daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Schreiber, who made

her home with him, and Mrs. Daisy M. Huddleston, Cleveland, O., with four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Mr. Pollard was a member of Lewis Post, G. A. R. and served in Company D, No. 60, O. V. I.

Funeral services will be held Monday night at 8 o'clock, at the residence. The body will be taken to Portsmouth, O., Tuesday morning, for interment.



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This ointment cures in a few minutes all symptoms of kidney trouble, stopping backache and pains, dizziness and floating specks, correcting irregular kidney action and clearing secretions. Foley Pills have my heartiest recommendation. Months of cold and damp weather put a heavy strain on the kidneys. I stop them today with Foley Pills diuretic. A quick improvement will amply repay you. Satisfaction guaranteed. Ask your druggist for Foley Pills diuretic. —Adv.

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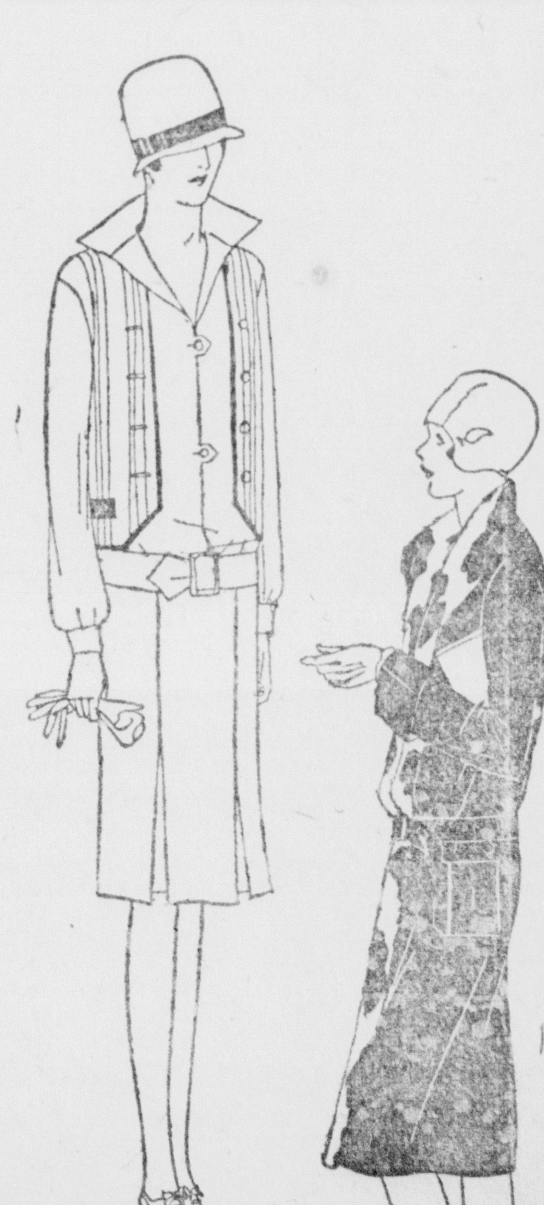
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BUSY AS A BEE!

Professor Frank Cole Habbitt of Trinity College aired his ignorance the other night over the radio, on the subject of "Bees."

The bee, according to the Doc, is a vapid and swinish fellow, lazy and hedonistic, while his queen is no better than she should be. He makes as little honey as he can get away with and the remainder of his idle hours are passed in raising more young bees than he can feed. All the talk about the bee's industry and application, the Doc avers, is preposterous. He makes no more than thirty or thirty-five trips from the hive in his whole life. He hangs around the house and welches most of the summer, and when winter comes, as it must, they starve together.

All of which may or may not be true; but why enlarge on it? Truth is sometimes the most cruel form of gossip, and in a country where there are ten legal holidays a year, including April Fools' day, and where you can't locate a business man in his office from noon on Saturday until late in the morning on the following Monday, a spur to sustained industry and application is required, such as the bee affords.

The bee may not specialize in mass production, for which we all should give thanks. As the Doc says, the bee may make only thirty or thirty-five trips from the hive in his life; but boy, each trip counts.

When the bee quits the hive to make boot upon the velvet summer buds he returns to oversee an output of excellent quality. The sugar in honey is in the form of dextrose and levulose. None of your old cane sugar there, to distress the consumer. Good old dextrose and levulose every time. No adulteration. No sand. No fake. No board of health necessary to formulate sanitary codes covering the ingredients or the conditions under which manufacture is conducted.

In a generation of synthetic gin, Scotch-verdict tomato ketchup, and group turnips masquerading as horse radish, there's a lot to be said for the ethics of the warm, waxy and buzzing hive where the promise is invariably performed according to the terms of the prospectus.

A bee while signally gifted, is likewise sorely hampered. As the Road Agent of Roseland it is equipped by nature with a full set of burglar tools and an effective arsenal for defense. With all that, and condemned to labor in the sizzling heat of the summer midday, nature erred in outfitting the Buzzing Brother with a striped flannel liver pad and a buffalo overcoat. It is well to recall this when decanting upon his little defects of temperament.

Before the bee came along there was no middle distance between the insane industry of the unimaginative ant and the Broadway insouciance of the grasshopper.

The bee demonstrates the value of moderation in industry, proving that success becomes failure when it lands the toiler on the front veranda of a Rest Cure.

The Theatre

One of the world's most seductive screen charmers—being made violent love to by the champion lovelmakers of two nations—this is the unique combination of the screen in "Flesh and the Devil," which comes to the Bijou Monday and Tuesday.

Greta Garbo, blonde charmer of the screen and famous star from Europe, will know forever the difference between American and European lovelmaking, as a result of her role in the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture—in fact, she had to act as a sort of judge of a battle for supremacy between the lovelmakers of the American and Swedish screen champions.

One of her screen lovers is John Gilbert, hero of "The Big Parade," "The Merry Widow," and famous for his romantic roles—the other is Lars Hanson, the "Swedish Barrymore." These three form a strange triangle in the new picture, a vivid drama of modern Europe from "The Undying Past" by the great European dramatist, Hermann Sudermann. It is a gripping story based on sociological conditions in the old world, hanging on traditions of love and marriage, and with Miss Garbo in the role of a seductive modern girl whose beauty and charm lure men to ruin. John Gilbert plays one of her lovers and Hanson the other—who marries her to precipitate one of the most powerful dramatic situations ever portrayed on the screen.

Seats go on sale Monday for "The Big Parade," which will be shown at the City Hall Theater matinee and night, one day, Thursday, March 31. This Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production is now in its second year at the Astor Theater, New York and has had record runs in all the large cities. Many players here have already brought word of its fine quality and have eagerly advised friends to be sure and see it. When the road company comes here to present "The Big Parade" it will have its own touring orchestra and the New York presenters of these three who visit the local theater are assured that they will see "The Big Parade" to the same advantage.

TO RETURN HONAKER FOR CANTON POLICE

Joseph Honaker, 16, colored, 1120 E. Third St., alleged to be a paroled prisoner from Canton, O., whose suspicious actions on the farm of W. B. Bryson, Clifton Pike, led in his arrest Friday, will be returned to Canton for parole violation. Sheriff Ohmer Tate has notified Canton authorities of Honaker's arrest and is awaiting word from that city.

Honaker also admitted the theft of a number of mail articles from a Springfield, O., five and ten cent store.

AFTER A HARD DAY'S WORK ON THE OLD BUS DAD PUTS IN A HARD NIGHT!

Keeping HEALTHY
by Dr. A.F. Currier

FAITH CURES
Auto-suggestion is simply an application of the principle of faith or belief to the ill of life, some of which are tremendously real and many of which are entirely fanciful. Auto-suggestion means suggestion to one's own individuality.

Every leader of men from time immemorial suggests things to himself, making possible the apparently impossible, and stimulates and suggests auto-suggestion in others. It is by no means limited to matters of health and disease, but applies to the whole universe, animate and inanimate.

Our Lord in His teachings was constantly appealing to this principle, the most noteworthy of His sayings upon this subject being: "If ye have faith as small as a grain of mustard seed ye shall say unto yonder place, and it shall remove, and nothing shall be impossible unto you."

Nobody, so far as I have ever heard, has made literal application of this statement, but He evidently desired to place upon record the possibility of doing the apparently impossible by means of the dominating power of mind over matter.

The late M. Coue told us that by auto-suggestion we can accomplish anything that is reasonable, or within reason; but what did he mean by reasonable?

Is it to cure fibroid tumors or cancer, or heal broken bones, or remove congenital defects and deformities which he believes possible, by auto-suggestion? I should think not. All these things if and when apparently accomplished by means of auto-suggestion are beyond reason, they are not accomplished by adherence to the laws of therapeutics as they are at present understood.

We have gone beyond the domain of reason and have invaded the realm of faith. I am not saying that these things may not be accomplished, but it does not seem to me that they are accomplished by such means as self-suggestion, but by invocation of some kind of a power from without, and I do not know of a better term than faith in the medium through which this power acts. We have had many evidences of its efficiency through the ages. One notable example at the present day is the work that has been done at Lourdes.

Not all the sick who go to Lourdes are healed, but there are some cases which are well attested by competent physicians and which bear every evidence, so far as human reason and analysis go, of trustworthiness and credibility, and I do not believe the persons cured would attribute their relief to auto-suggestion. Of

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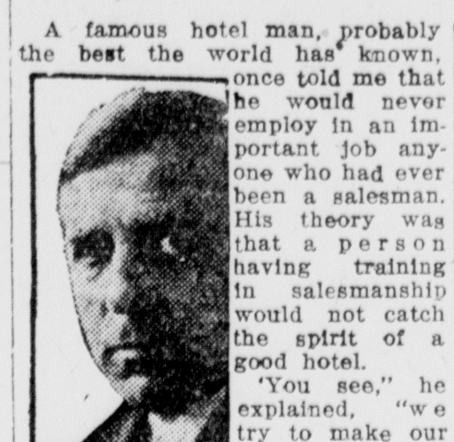
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KELLYGRAMS by FRED C. KELLY

GOOD SALESMEN AND GOOD HOSTS



FRED KELLY

A famous hotel man, probably the best the world has known, once told me that he would never employ in an important job anyone who had ever been a salesman. His theory was that a person having training in salesmanship would not catch the spirit of a good hotel.

"You see," he explained, "we try to make our guests as comfortable and as much at ease as they would be in their own homes. To do this, we must first find out as nearly as possible what guests want and then aim to give it to them. But true salesmanship would be to determine what kind of hotel service is most profitable to the management and then undertake to make guests satisfied with that kind of service. In other words, because of his training at forcing his desires upon others, the salesman is likely to try to please himself, and would not recognize that it is more profitable in the long run to please the guest."

I thought of this when, about an hour ago and old friend confided to me that his business is bankrupt. He has failed because of not being a good salesman.

"I'd just as soon sell a man an article that he really wants and says he wants," he remarked, "but to be successful I must induce men to buy what they do not want, and that seems hardly a gentlemanly thing to do."

That sounded as if he were cracking a joke, but he was in deadly earnest. He is by nature too kindly disposed to wish to cause anyone the slightest annoyance. Maybe he should be in the hotel business and devote himself to doing what the other fellow wants.

Having in mind bright young, high-pressure salesmen who call upon me nearly every day to show me something for my own good, I feel as if the most desirable neighbors must be men who would be failures at selling.

Suppose that your neighbor were to drop in every morning and say: "Come on to the golf links with me. You're not getting nearly enough exercise for your own good." What if he kept right on insisting, after you told him that, besides being too busy, you don't enjoy golf? Think what a nuisance he would be!

Yet if he's like that he probably makes a far better living than if he were disposed always to be considerate and fall in with your wishes. Such a man is rewarded.

ON THE AIR FROM CINCINNATI

WSAI:
7:00—Announcement, Skit.
7:15-8:00—Verge Smith's orchestra and Eugene Schmidt, baritone. Talks by W. M. Coffin, U. S. Veterans' Bureau.

10:00—Grand opera, "La Favorita," WEAF Grand Opera Co., New York.

11:00-12:00—Theirs' Sinton Orchestra.

W.L.W.:
7:00—Hotel Gibson Orchestra and theater review.

8:00—Burnt Corkers.
8:30—Preston County entertainers.

9:00—Castle Farm.
9:30—Buartet and orchestra, melodies old and new.

W.K.R.C.:
8:00—Kern Aylward.
8:25—Alvin Roeb's orchestra.

8:00—Cincinnati Public Schools program.
9:00—American Legion program.
12:00—Jule Vigon and Davis Brinkmoeller.

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O Tempora! O Morones!

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DIVORCE GRANTED; INSURANCE BILL IS BASIS FOR ACTION

Gladys Heery has been granted a divorce from Alfred Heery in Common Pleas Court on grounds of gross neglect of duty, and ordered restored to her maiden name of Gladys Walker.

SUES FOR INSURANCE MONEY
Suit for \$349.25, alleged due on insurance, has been filed in Common Pleas Court by Ray Cox against The Loyd Contracting Co. F. L. Johnson is attorney for the plaintiff.

NAMED ADMINISTRATOR
Perry Hanes has been appointed administrator of the estate of Albert Hanes, late of Beaver Creek Twp., in Probate Court, and has filed bond of \$6,000.

SALE ORDERED
Sale of real estate has been ordered by the court in the case of J. W. Fulkerson, administrator, against W. M. Hartinger and others, in Probate Court.

FILES APPLICATION
L. L. Taylor has filed an application in Probate Court, seeking to be named administrator of the estate of Josephine Alexander, late of Yellow Springs. The application will be given a hearing April 1.

VETERAN ATTORNEY DIES IN HOSPITAL

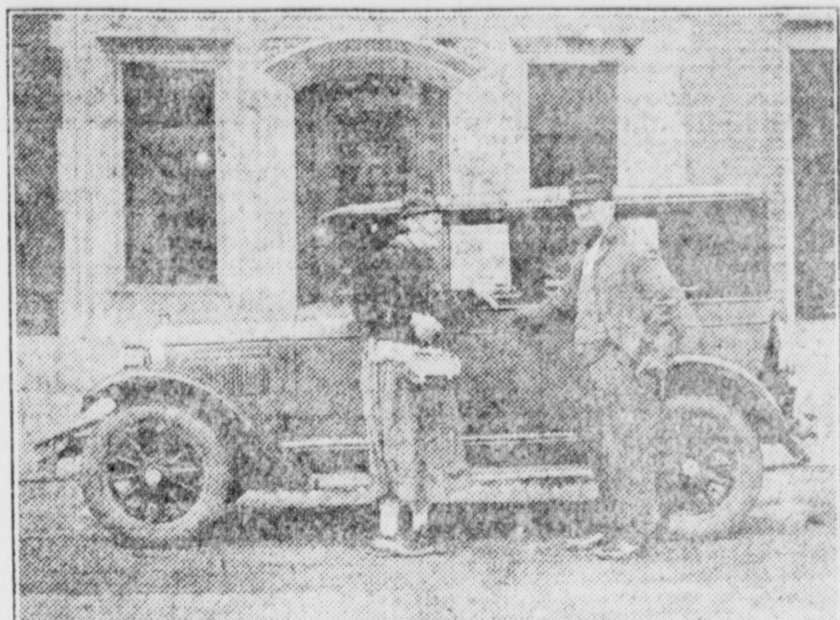
Attorney Henry H. Sanderson, 77, Washington C. H., who practiced law for forty-four years in that city, died at Mount Carmel Hospital, Columbus, Friday night. He had been seriously ill two years.

He leaves his widow, one son, and one daughter. Funeral services were held at the home Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment in Washington Cemetery.

EAST END NEWS

The Community Mission Bible School had an overflowing house Sunday afternoon, when the Rev. Henry Smith and family of Winchester, Ky., had charge of the meeting. Evangelist Hattie Spencer reviewed the lessons for the past quarter, which were committed to memory, after which all ministers present took part in the exercises. The school is having its Bible conference now and many are receiving a religious education. Dayton was largely represented at Sunday's meeting. The school will organize a class in Dayton next month.

SI AND MARY ENTERTAIN CROWDS



Si Stebbins and his blushing bride, Mary, dropped into Xenia at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon to kind of give the town the once over, and created quite a stir while looking over the sights.

Si and his wife are on their "eventful honeymoon" so to speak and are traveling for the Greene County Hardware Co., driving a new Whippet car on their tour of the country.

This original "rube" couple is admittedly a wee bit behind the times or a little old-fashioned dressed up in their "Sunday best."

Si and Mary in private life are

nothing more than Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Coffin, former big time vaudeville stars, now doing unique advertising stunts for the Whippet people, and incidentally enjoying to the utmost their inspection of various cities.

Their "rube" stunt went over big with local townspeople.

All dolled up "fit to kill" this odd pair of newlyweds gave the natives a rare entertainment as they "took in the sights." Si and the Mrs. were the gawkiest "farmer-jakes" ever to walk up Main St. and that their appearance was but an advertising stunt never once entered the minds of onlookers as this quaint couple made an unheralded appearance in the city.

Laugh and the world laughs with you is Si's motto. "We got a huge amount of enjoyment out of making the public laugh," they explain. Si ought to know something about mirth-provoking remarks and such for he has spent more than a quarter of a century in the profession of making people laugh.

Si is the original rube of the Barnum and Bailey circus. He started in the circus business in 1882 and has been clowning ever since. Mary, his spouse, has been in the present act for fifteen years or more. They hail from Clairmont, N. H.

Mr. Elbers substituted for Judge Edward Dixon, Cincinnati, who was originally scheduled to make the address. Judge Dixon notified the local Aerie he was unable to fill the engagement because of previous arrangements.

Mr. Elbers told of the accomplishments of Eagles at the scene of various recent disasters, including San Francisco, in the relief of suffering and rehabilitation work. The class initiation preceded this talk when twenty-five candidates, including all members of the Mid-night Sun orchestra, under leadership of Clarence Jeffries, joined the Aerie. This is the largest class ever initiated in Xenia and boosted the total membership to 285.

The address of the afternoon was followed by a banquet. Practically the entire membership of the Aerie attended the meeting.

ANOTHER ROBBERY FASTENED ON FRED POSEY; CONFESSES

Fred Posey, 26, colored, 1040 E. Second St., awaiting grand jury action on a charge of burglary and larceny for the robbery of the O. W. Everhart harness shop November 29, and attempted robbery of the Xenia Mercantile Co., January 6, has also been connected with the robbery of the R. H. Little grocery in Cedarville in January.

A rifle found at his home by police, has been identified by Little as stolen from his grocery. A shot gun, \$10 gold piece and other articles were also taken.

Posey declared the rifle was the property of another negro, implicated in the mercantile company and harness shop robberies by his confession, for whom police are still searching.

Calendar Of Events

(Notices of coming events in social or fraternal circles, lodge meetings, club gatherings or ben-efits will be published in this column free of charge. Phone notices not more than ten days preceding the event itself.)

TUESDAY, MARCH 29:
Obedient Council D. of A. Xenia I. O. O. F. Rotary.

Luncheon sale, First M. E. Church, Bowling Room, E. Main St. Please patronize.

MONDAY, MARCH 28:
Xenia S. P. O. D. of P. Phi Delta Kappa. Modern Woodmen. Social Service Board.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30:
Jr. O. U. A. M. Ivanhoe Lodge, K. of P. Church Prayer Meetings. L. O. O. M.

THURSDAY, MARCH 31:
Red Men. P. of X. D. of A.

FRIDAY, APRIL 1:
Eagles.

MONDAY, MARCH 28:
Chicken supper, First Lutheran Ladies' Aid, at church, Thursday evening, March 31, from 5:30 to 7 o'clock. Public invited.

DAILY MARKETS LIVE STOCK

CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK

Hogs—receipts 6,000, heldover \$10. Market unevenly 15c to 25c lower. Quotations: 250-350 lbs., \$10.50@11.50; 200-250 lbs., \$11.50@12.10; 150-200 lbs., \$11.85@12.10; 130-160 lbs., \$11.85@12.10; 90-130 lbs., \$10@12; packing sows, \$9@10.

Cattle—receipts 1,700, calves 700. Market: steers strong and 25c higher, heifers unevenly steady to 25c lower, others steady, top veal, \$14. Bulk quotations: beef steers, \$7.75@10.50; light yearling steers and heifers, \$7.25@10; beef cows, \$5.50@7.25; low cutter and cutter cows, \$4@5.25; vealers, \$9@14; heavy calves, \$6@9; bulk stock and feeder steers, \$5@8.

Sheep—receipts 50, market steady. Quotations: top fat lambs, \$16; bulk fat lambs, \$12@16; bulk cull lambs, \$7.50@11; bulk fat ewes, \$5@8; bulk spring lambs, \$22@25; bulk cull spring lambs, \$20@22.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

Hogs—Receipts, 65,000; market, 15c@25c lower; top, \$12; bulk, \$10.25@11.80; heavy weight, \$10.50@11.80; light weight, \$11.15@11.90; light lights, \$11.10@12; packing sows, \$9.75@10.75; pigs, \$11@11.85.

Cattle—Receipts, 20,000; market, steady; calves, receipts, 3,500; market, steady; Beef Steers—Good and choice, \$10.50@13.25; common and medium, \$7.50@10; yearlings, \$7.50@12.50; Butcher, Cattle—Heifers, \$5.50@11; cows, \$5.25@8; bulls, \$5.50@8; calves, \$9@12.50; feeder steers, \$7.50@9.50; stocker steers, \$6@8.75; stocker cows and heifers, \$4.50@6.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 13,000; market, steady; medium and choice lambs, \$13.25@16.25; culls and common, \$11.50@13; yearlings, \$11@14; common and choice ewes, \$5@10; feeder lambs, \$13.50@14.75.

PITTSBURGH LIVESTOCK

Cattle—Supply, light; market, steady; choice, \$10.75@11.75; prime \$10.25@11.60; good, \$9.75@10.50; tidy butchers, \$9.25@9.50; fair, \$8.50@9; common, \$7.25@8.25; common to good fat bulls, \$5.75@7.75; common to good fat cows, \$5.50@6.50; heifers, \$5.25@8.25; fresh cows and springers, \$5@10; veal calves \$15.50.

Sheep and Lamb—Supply, 2800; market, higher; good (wool) \$11.50; clipped, \$14.75; lambs, (wool) \$16.25; clipped, \$14.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,500; market, steady to lower; prime heavy hogs \$11.20@11.50; heavy mixed, \$11.55@12; heavy Yorkers, \$12.25@12.40; light Yorkers, \$12.25@12.40; pigs, \$12.10@12.55; roughs, \$9.75@10.50; stags, \$5@7.

XENIA LIVESTOCK

Greene County Livestock

Shipping Assn.

Heavies—\$10.25@10.75. Mediums—\$10.75@11. Lights—\$11.40@11.65. Packing sows—\$8.50@9. Calves—\$9.00. Sheep—\$6.25. Lambs—\$11.30.

DAYTON

Receipts, 4 cars; market, 25@35c lower.

Heavies, 200 lbs. up \$10.75
Mediums, 200 lbs. down \$11.25
Light, 140 \$11.50
Pigs, 140 down \$10@11
Best fat cows \$5@7
Sows \$8@10

CATTLE

Receipts 11 cars; market, steady

Best fat steers \$8@9
Veal calves \$7@13
Medium butcher steers \$7@8
Medium butcher heifers \$5@6
Best butcher heifers \$7@8
Best fat cows \$5@6
Bologna cows \$3@4
Medium cows \$4@5

SHEEP

Spring lambs \$6@10
Sheep \$2@5

GRAIN

DAYTON

Flour and Grain

(By the Durst Milling Co.)

(Prices being paid for grain at mill.)

Wheat, No. 1, New, \$1.18.

Rye, No. 2, 70c per bushel.

Corn, 75c per 100 lbs.

Oats, per bu, 44c.

PRODUCE

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Extra, 49 1-4c.

Extra firsts, 49 1-2c.

Firsts, 24 1-2c@25c.

Packing stock, 25c.

Eggs, fresh, 27c.

Extra firsts, 25 1-2c.

Firsts, 24 1-2c.

Pullets, 27c.

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Heavy fowls, 27c@28c.

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Leghorn fowls, 18c@20c.

Heavy broilers, 25c@26c.

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Springers, 28@29c.
Leghorn broilers, 22@23c.
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Geese, 22c.
Ducks, 33c@35c.
FOTATOES:
Ohio's, \$1@1.25.
Cobblers, \$4@5 in 150 lb. bags.
New Jersey, \$1.40 per hamper.
Idaho, \$4.50 per 110 lb. bag.
Michigan, \$4.00 per 150 lbs.
Minnesota, \$3.75@4 per 150 lbs.
Home grown, 90c per half bushel basket.
Wisconsin, \$4.25@5.35, 150 lb. bag.
Sweet Potatoes, Jersey, \$1.40 per hamper.
Oleo, high grade animal oils, 25c.
@25 1-2c; lower grades, 20c@22c.
Cheese, York State, 27c@30c.
Old, 29@32c.
Apples, Baldwins, \$4.25@4.50.
Maine, \$3.50@4.
Tomatoes, \$4@5 per 10 lb. basket.
Strawberries, Florida, 55@60c qt. Alabama, \$4@8 per 24 qt. crate crate.
Louisiana, \$4@4.25 24 qt. crate.
Cabbage, 60c@65c per 1-2 bu. basket.
Cucumbers, \$4.50@5 crate.
Onion, Ohio Yellow, \$2.50@3 per sack.

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Butter, 58c.

Eggs, 27c dozen.

Stewing chickens, 43c.

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FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

Just AMONG US GIRLS

by Kathryn Kenney

Everyone—including the chick-ens—is getting "all set" for Easter. That's the time when father throws the clutch off the pocket-book and mother shifts the head-gear!

Who remembers when every woman simply had to have an Easter bonnet—without any strings tied to it, either?

Now that a hat doesn't dare be seen and not "felt" no one knows when it's new. A little steaming will make the old model "hot!"

Just because the feathers and ribbons of the old Easter hat have disappeared that doesn't mean that the price isn't just as fancy. We pay for lines, particularly when we take them in!

It seems as though fashion experts were determined that the Easter parade should go out under cover of darkness. And when the men start wearing black felts it means their chances are dead!

To the children, Easter is just a shell game, and many a bad egg has a healthy color. A rabbit may not be much at other seasons of the year, but at Easter time he has the jump on them all.

Easter is like some girls—you're never certain about a date! Everyone knows when Christmas is coming and a woman will even remember her birthday if she is certain of many snappy returns!

Mother says, "When is Easter?"



The Easter parade is long on color and short on skirts. However, most of it is done in autos as a girl doesn't walk nowadays if she wants to keep her reputation. The boy friend always came across with a corsage on Easter morning, now he "lays her out" without any flowers! You can't paint the Easter lily, she's done a good job herself!

We notice that men's spring hats are to be black felt after having as many colors as the rainbow. Evidently this is where the rain-

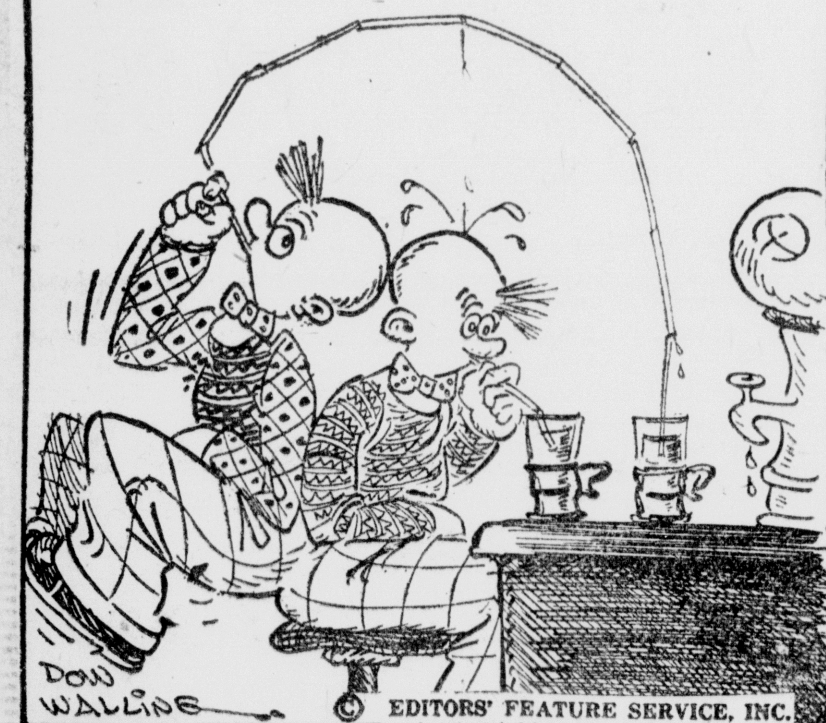
knows that although it may be the end of Lent, its the beginning of a loan!

Easter is woman's greatest excuse for spring clothes, she puts it on her back in order to put up a good front. April showers may bring May flowers, but a woman's tears get her results at once!

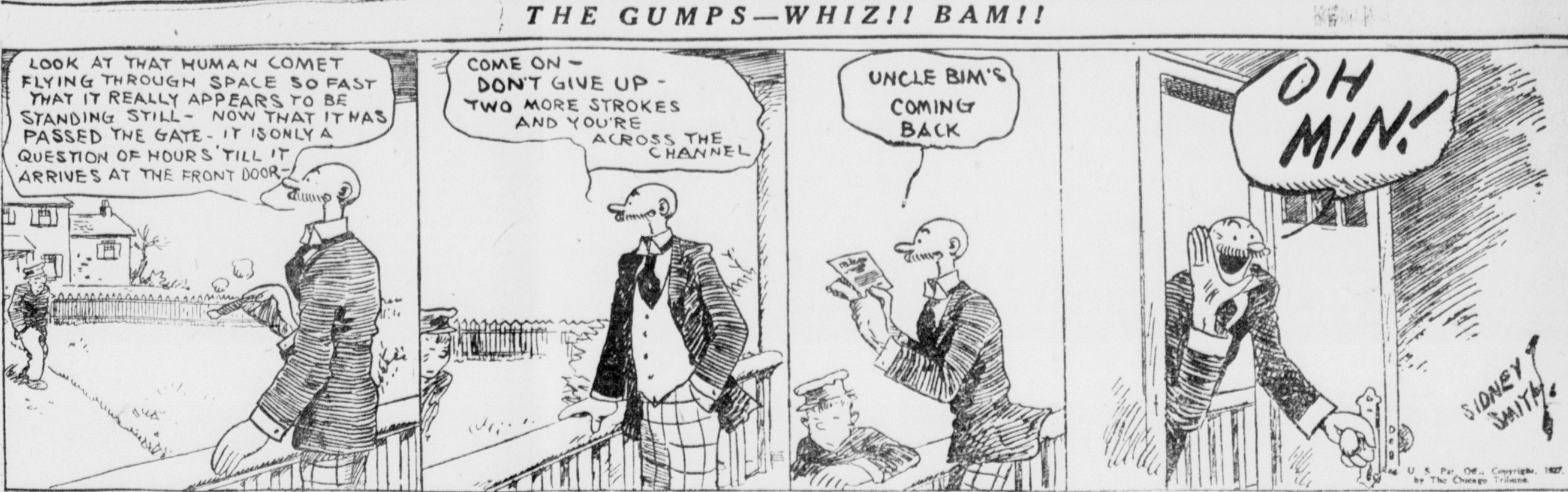
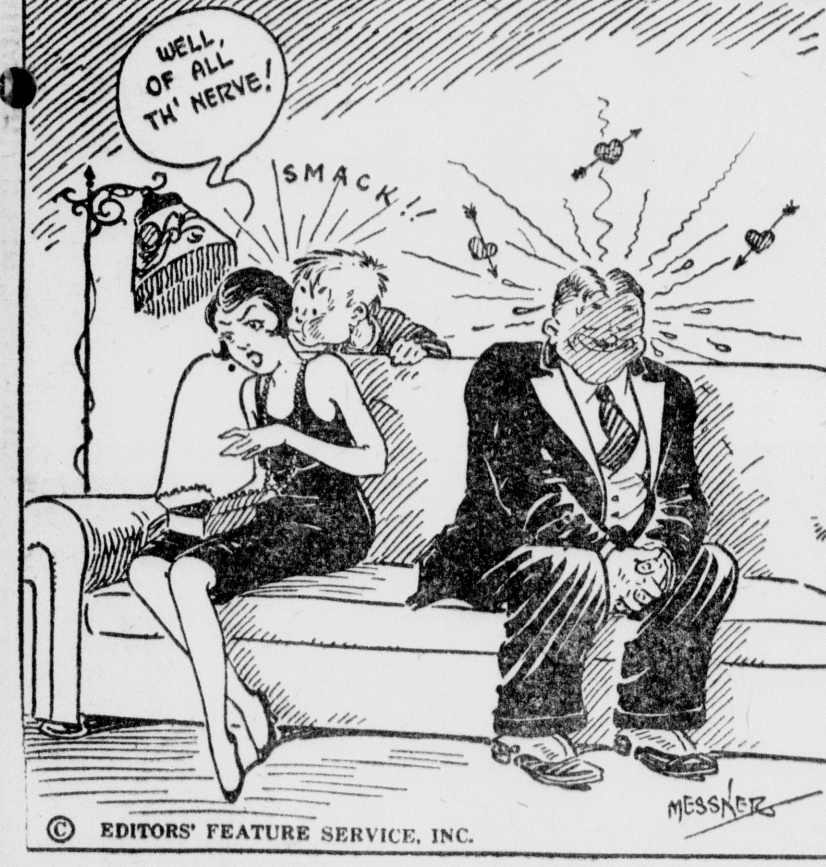
Many a child on an Easter egg hunt will run into father's home brew. And he will learn very young that there's no kick like the one at home! Spring is here—and we have to dress the part! And father says, "How much?" He

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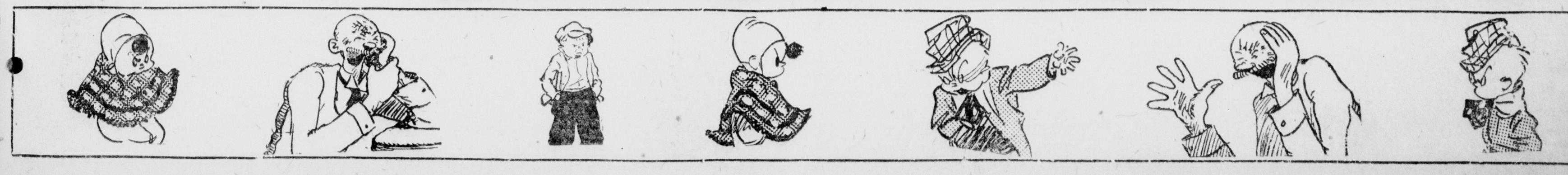
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DARROW FAVORS AL, RITCHIE OR REED

BALTIMORE, Mar. 28.—The Democrats can put up three men in '28 who would make good presidents in Clarence Darrow's opinion—Gov. Al Smith, of New York; Gov. Albert C. Ritchie, of Maryland, and Senator "Jim" Reed, of Missouri.

The noted criminal lawyer on a visit here today declared if Gov. Smith's religion were made an issue in the campaign "It should be fought out now."

"There should be a showdown next year on this religious question and also upon the eighteenth amendment," said Darrow.

YOUTH KILLED IN ROBBERY ATTEMPT

CINCINNATI, O., Mar. 28.—A seventy year old mother today was at the point of heart-broken collapse because her son, who she hysterically declared "was always good and kind to me," was killed by a policeman's bullet during an attempted robbery here late Saturday. The youth was identified Sunday night as Clarence Connors, 20.

WHAT TO WEAR and HOW TO WEAR IT



By LUCY CLAIRE
Favorite Fashion Adviser of the Smart Set

I can remember the time, and so can you, when only a few women used rouge and none of them actually admitted it. Now I am inclined to believe that perhaps that was the wisest procedure because cosmetics were so delicately and deftly applied that they actually defied detection.

Our general philosophy of living today encourages and sanctions us in doing anything that will be a mark of improvement—but remember, I said improvement, and it is in the interpretation of this that so many people fail. No two people are confronted by the same problems, so faults and attributes must first be recognized by yourself before the remedy can follow.

There are some dozen or more different shades of rouge—each suited to a particular type of complexion and natural coloring, some for the bright glare of evening lights and others for street and daytime use. But I want you to bear in mind that the well-dressed woman only dusts enough rouge on her face to remove the pallor of

powder and to round out her facial contours as she wishes them to appear. Lipstick is cosmetic—yes—and it may be used in a more conspicuous fashion than rouge is employed; but it, too, has many limitations.

I have taken two outstanding types here—the round, broad face with high cheekbones and the long, slender face with pointed chin. Look carefully at head No. 4; notice the roundness of the face and its extreme breadth across the eyes and cheek bones, and I will show you how in actual appearance this has been neutralized. First of all, the eyebrows have been carefully plucked and arched to give added height to the forehead. There are usually a few straggling wisps that will utterly ruin a well-groomed appearance in eyebrows, so I have shown you in figure No. 6, how these can be gently lifted out. But be sure that you do not destroy the natural shape of your eyebrows. Remember that they were put there to give expression to your eyes and by narrowing them down too much you will absolutely destroy this

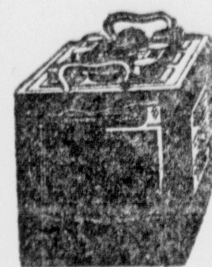
function. Now I want you to notice how the rouge has been dusted a little thicker, it should be applied a little heavier in the center.

In closing, I want you to gaze upon the head at the left—marked No. 3. This may seem highly exaggerated to you, and yet I have seen many girls on the street—in an arc from the highest point on the cheekbone, working in toward the nose. This tends to draw attention toward the center of the face and considerably lessens the appearance of breadth. The lips have been slightly brightened in their natural shape and you can see how successful the entire effect is.

The head marked No. 5 illustrates the long oval-shaped face with a slight tendency to reveal hollows in the cheeks, so I have placed the rouge well back toward the ears so that it will round out the contours of the face.

By examining number 1 and 2, you will see that even lipstick can be used to your advantage. On the normal shapely lips, as in figure 2, it can be applied evenly, but if the mouth has a tendency to be large or the

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HER MAN

CHAPTER XVIII

Sylvia had seen that pin before, but where? Whose was it?

Suddenly she remembered exactly where she had seen it. It was one that Fay Shirley wore in the evening when she pinned a red-gold braid of hair around her bobbed head.

So then, it was Fay who had been in this car with Ranny, and not more than two nights ago, either, for that was the last time he had driven it.

He had told Sylvia that night that he wanted to run over to his father's house to see him about some business matter, and wouldn't be gone more than an hour.

She remembered now, as she looked back at it, that he had been gone for two or three hours. She had sat waiting for him—and had read every story in "Good Housekeeping" while she waited.

And he had been with Fay Shirley all that time here in the car! He must have been with her, for the hair-pin and the perfumed handkerchief were silent proof of it.

Sylvia looked down at them thoughtfully, wondering what to do with them.

Should she face Ranny with them, or should she take them to Fay and ask her what she had to say for herself?

A dozen questions went dancing through her brain on that blue September morning as she started the car and drove slowly toward Aunt Agony's house.

Was Ranny in love with Fay, after all? Was it possible for a man to be in love with two women at the same time?

Or was his feeling for Fay nothing but liking—the liking that one happy-go-lucky person naturally has for another of the same kind?

"I know—I know he cares for just me!" Sylvia told herself, suddenly remembering how Ranny had taken her in his arms last night when she told him about the baby. "He may enjoy hating around with Fay, but it's me he loves!"

Sylvia felt almost as shy and shaker as if she were going to the home of a stranger when she went up the stone steps of Aunt Agony's house that morning and rang the bell.

It was three months since Aunt Agony had walked out of The Nest, and Ranny wasn't at all sure that her aunt was ready to be friends with her and Ranny again. She had said she was "through" with the both of them.

As Sylvia stood there, waiting, she saw the Nottingham lace curtains of the front parlor window shake a little, as if stirred by a breeze, and she knew that Aunt Agony was behind them, "taking a look" to see who was there.

That bay window was her coming tower. She had never been known to open the front door to a caller until she had first peeked out through the curtains to see who that caller was, and to make up her mind whether she wanted to talk to callers or not!

Sylvia was wondering whether she would let her in, when the door suddenly flew open and Aunt Agony stood

there, stiff and straight as any well-trained soldier.

"Well," she sniffed, "so you've come at last!"

"You knew I would, sooner or later, didn't you?" the girl asked, stepping into the hall.

As the door closed behind her, the delightful, familiar smell of the old house swept into her nostrils like perfume. It was like no other odor in the world—a mixed scent of the dried rose leaves in the jar on the table, and of spice, and of furniture polish.

It brought back to Sylvia a flood of memories—memories of rainy Saturdays during her childhood, when Aunt Agony had made cozy boys for her—cozy boys with ruffles for eyes and coarsened for hair—memories of June afternoons when they picked roses from the bush behind the old house and dried them for the jar on the hall table—and of house-cleaning periods when they had scoured and polished the place from cellar to garret. What a good time they had had together, and what a mother Aunt Agony had been to her all her life!

Suddenly Sylvia was in the third arm, with her head down on her aunt's flat chest, and they were crying together—in the silly sentimental way that women do cry sometimes.

"Aunt Agony, I've been so lonely, and I'll never forgive myself for staying away from you so long!" Sylvia sobbed.

Her aunt pushed her away from her, blew her nose violently and brushed away her tears with the back of her hand. "No use crying over spilt milk!" she quoted dryly, and was herself again.

"Come in and have a cup of tea," she said, and led the way to the dining room. "I was just making a pot

some other man?"

"No, of course not!" snapped Aunt Agony. "Then why is it all right for Ranny to be such good friends with some other woman? Just you try stepping around with some of Ranny's men friends and it'll be a white horse of another color!"

"But I don't want to! I don't want any man but Ranny!" cried Sylvia, as she lifted her cup of tea. "I'm old-fashioned."

"Yes, and so's marriage old-fashioned!" Aunt Agony broke in again. "It's got to be just what it was a thousand years ago or it won't last! And just you young folks, in this day and age, try out your new-fangled ideas of trotting around as if you weren't married and you'll wind up in the divorce court!"

She drank her tea as if it had been bitter poison and gave the house across the street a most unfriendly look from her sharp eyes.

"I could tell you things, Sylvia, if I was of a mind to, about Ranny and that one over there!" she said, nodding again toward the windows of Fay's bedroom.

Sylvia only smiled. "I know they see a lot of each other," she said quietly, "but there's nothing between them—and where there might have been between them would be over now, anyway."

The sweetest look that Aunt Agony had ever seen in her eyes came into them as she added: "I told Ranny last night that we're going to have a baby in the spring, you see."

There was a dead silence in the sunny little room for a minute or two. Then Aunt Agony said, "Well!" in a very small voice—and then "Well!" once more.

As she said afterward to Peter Wilk's sister, Sarah, "I was never more surprised in all my life!"

She sat looking at Sylvia for a moment more. Then she got up, marched around the little round table and put her hand on one of her shoulders.

"My dear, if you really love Ranny, you're very sensible to have this child—just as you are doing," she said in a queer tight voice. "For if there's anything that will tie a man down to his bone it's a baby of his own! I've never known it to fail!"

Sylvia looked up at her. "If I really love Ranny?" she repeated softly. "If I really love him! Why, Aunt Agony, I love one hair of his head better than I love anything else on this earth. He's the whole world to me—and heaven, besides."

Years afterward Aunt Agony remembered the thing she said a half hour later when they sat up in the garret going through a trunk of little time-yellowed baby clothes:

"No matter what Ranny does—or where he goes—I always will care for him, just the way I do now. I can't help it. He may fall in love with a dozen women in the next dozen years, but he's the only man for me, just the same."

"Humph!" remarked Aunt Agony. And in the curl of her lip was expressed scorn, not only for Ranny, but for all the rest of his sex!

Sylvia put the bundle of baby clothes into the back of Ranny's car. Then she crossed Bleak street and rang the doorbell of the Shirley's big brown house.

Mrs. Shirley came to the door.

"Why, it's little Sylvia!" she said, and kissed her. "Fay's still in bed. She was up late last night and she's just having her breakfast; go right up."

Sylvia ran up the broad stairs and tapped on the closed door of Fay's bedroom. Without waiting for an answer she went in.

Fay was propped up in bed against a mountain of little pillows. A lace cap was pulled sideways on her head and her red hair escaped from it in tiny artificial curls.

Her green eyes looked bare and staring without the make-up that she used, when in the public eye, and her lips were smeared with the indelible rouge that she used in the evening.

For one instant Sylvia wished wickedly that Ranny could see her as she looked now, without her war paint.

"Hello, Early Bird! What brings you out at the crack of dawn?" Fay asked, setting down her cup of coffee.

"These!" Sylvia answered, and tossed the handkerchief and the shell hairpin down upon the embroidered coverlet of the bed. "I found them in Ranny's car this morning and I thought you might need them!"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

The new bond between Sylvia and Ranny seems to have put Fay Shirley out of his thoughts. But Ranny is still in Fay's mind, and she comes to The Nest in order to see him.

Read in tomorrow's installment how she leaves hurriedly after Sylvia has disclosed her great secret.



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broad daylight, mind you—who have effected just such a make-up. Notice the eyebrows, which are scarcely visible; the beaded eye lashes, the tiny exact rouge circles of vivid red and the lips shaped like a cupid's bow. Indeed I can not find one thing here which is not a sorry mistake, nor could I imagine any costume looking smart with such an ill-advised and ill-applied choice of make-up.

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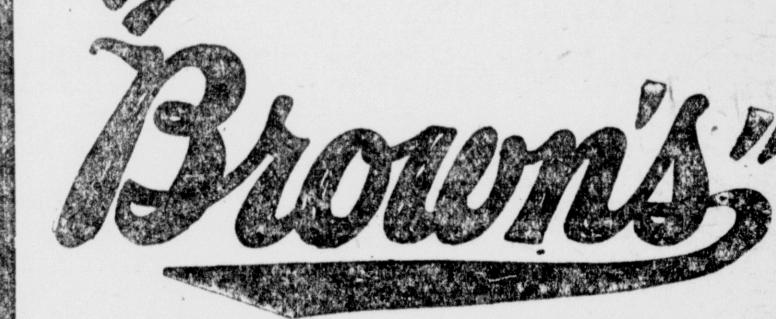
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